Dear Cairman Powell,

This is not my first attempt to reach you. I could not get through by phone or email. I am trying again--after watching your interview Sunday morning. You said people were only worrried about consolidation. That's not true. We're worried about the erosion of our constitutional right to hear a wide variety of ideas. We're worried about the public airways being controlled by a few wealthy and powerful individuals who will become more powerful and influential. We're worried because we believe in the Constitution which guarantees freedom of the press. Freedom requires openness. Mr. Powell, you have a moral obligation to the people of the U.S. to protect our constitutional rights. Why are you changing the rules about media ownership? Please don't.

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